



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Night Closures Planned on Northbound I-5 and Westbound Ventura Freeway (Route 134) Thursday through Tuesday in L.A., Glendale

Construction Widening I-5 Bridge Over Los Angeles River to Add Carpool Lanes

LOS ANGELES — The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) today announced the scheduled overnight closure of all northbound lanes on Interstate 5 (the Golden State Freeway) and all westbound lanes on State Route 134 (the Ventura Freeway) at the Los Angeles River near Griffith Park in the Los Angeles-Glendale area.

The full closures are scheduled on one or two nights on westbound SR-134 and four or five nights on northbound I-5, depending on the progress of crews as they erect girders to widen the I-5 bridge at the Los Angeles River to accommodate new carpool lanes in both directions.

Closures are planned on the following schedule, which is subject to change:

Thursday night to Friday morning (Sept. 27-28)

11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. - All northbound I-5 lanes closed at L.A. River Bridge.

Friday night to Saturday morning (Sept. 28-29)

10 p.m. - Westbound SR-134 connector to northbound I-5 is closed.

1 a.m. to 6 a.m. - All northbound I-5 lanes closed at L.A. River Bridge.

Saturday night to Sunday morning (Sept. 29-30)

11:59 p.m. to 9 a.m. - Westbound SR-134 connector to northbound I-5 is closed.

11:59 p.m. to 9 a.m. - Northbound I-5 connector to westbound SR-134 is closed.

11:59 p.m. to 6 a.m. - All westbound SR-134 lanes closed at L.A. River Bridge.

1 a.m. to 6 a.m. - All northbound I-5 lanes closed at L.A. River Bridge.

Sunday night to Monday morning (Sept. 30-Oct. 1) – IF NEEDED

Same closures as Sept. 29-30 except full freeway closures are from **11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m.**

Monday night to Tuesday morning (Oct. 1-2)

11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. – All northbound I-5 lanes closed at L.A. River Bridge.

Detours will be provided on local streets. Updates will be provided on Twitter @My5LA and @CaltransDist7. Information about the I-5 widening project is online at My5LA.com.

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